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| The MAILING DATE of this communication appe All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RI of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 | ears on the cover sheet with the co (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this app or other appropriate communication GHTS. This application is subject to | orrespondence address olication. If not included will be mailed in due course. THIS |
| 1. This communication is responsive to the amendment filed 5/6/2005. | | |
| 2. The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>24-27 renumbered as 1-4.</u> | | |
| 3. The drawings filed on are accepted by the Examiner. | | |
| 4. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority un a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the: 1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)). * Certified copies not received: Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONM THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE. 5. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submit INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which give 6. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftspers 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date | been received. been received in Application No cuments have been received in this in of this communication to file a reply of this application. itted. Note the attached EXAMINER' as reason(s) why the oath or declarate the submitted. on's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-1) | national stage application from the complying with the requirements S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF tion is deficient. |
| (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d). | | |
| 7. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL. | | |
| Attachment(s) 1. □ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2. □ Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3. □ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/0 Paper No./Mail Date 4. □ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material | 6. ☐ Interview Summary Paper No./Mail Dat 8), 7. ☑ Examiner's Amendn | |
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An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Beth L. Kelly on 6/28/2005.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the Claims:

24. An isolated polypeptide [encoding] comprising a SYK-UBP protein, the polypeptide encoded by a nucleotide sequence comprising a nucleic acid sequence having at least about 95% identity to the nucleic acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein said SYK-UBP protein will bind to SYK.

26. An isolated polypeptide [encoding] comprising a SYK-UBP protein, wherein said protein comprises an amino acid sequence having at least about 95% identity to the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 2, and wherein said protein will bind to SYK.

Advisory Information

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Joseph Murphy whose telephone number is (571) 272-0877. The examiner can normally be reached Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 5:00 pm. A message

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may be left on the examiner's voice mail service. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone

are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Anthony Caputa, can be reached on (571) 272-0829.

The fax number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is

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PATENT EXAMINER